



UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Commissioner for Patents  
United States Patent and Trademark Office  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450  
[www.uspto.gov](http://www.uspto.gov)

**Anthony J. O'Lenick, Jr.**  
**2170 Luke Edwards Road**  
**Dacula, GA 30019**

**MAILED**

**FEB 02 2009**

**OFFICE OF PETITIONS**

In re Patent No. 6,762,289  
Issue Date: July 13, 2004  
Application No. 10/642,564  
Filed: August 18, 2003  
Attorney Docket No. SIL-002

:  
:  
:  
:  
:

**ON PETITION**

This is a decision on the renewed petition under 37 CFR 1.378(c), filed November 18, 2008, to accept the unintentionally delayed payment of a maintenance fee for the above-identified patent.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

This patent expired on July 14, 2008, for failure to pay the three and one-half year maintenance fee. Since this petition was submitted within twenty-four months after the six-month grace period provided in 37 CFR 1.362(e), the petition was timely filed under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.378(c).

The decision mailed November 4, 2008 dismissed the petition filed on September 4, 2008 for failure to provide signatures from all of the inventors. The renewed petition included the signatures of both inventors in this application.

The maintenance fee is hereby accepted and the above-identified patent is reinstated as of the mail date of this decision.

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to Kimberly Inabinet at (571) 272-4618.

The patent file is being forwarded to Files Repository.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to be 'Carl Friedman', with a long horizontal stroke extending to the right.

Carl Friedman  
Petitions Examiner  
Office of Petitions